



New Jersey Schools Insurance Group
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**Resolution Authorizing the Execution of
Contracts Pursuant to the Public School Contracts Law**

NJSIG No. 0921-5

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Schools Insurance Group (“NJSIG”) is authorized by N.J.S.A. 18A:18B-1, et seq. to provide insurance coverage for its members;

WHEREAS, NJSIG requires professional services in the form of outside counsel to represent the interests of NJSIG and its members;

WHEREAS, NJSIG has engaged in a fair and open process for the procurement of outside counsel services, pursuant to which proposals were solicited via a request for qualifications; and,

WHEREAS, an evaluation committee was convened by NJSIG and has evaluated all proposals submitted.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that:

- 1) NJSIG designates the following firms as Outside Counsel as to each respective area based on technical criteria, management criteria, cost criteria and the service provider’s demonstrated service to public entities in the State of New Jersey:
 - a. Subrogation and recovery litigation (C-2021-0008):

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- i. Law Offices of Stephen E. Gertler; and
 - ii. Methfessel & Werbel, PC.
 - iii. Butler Weihmuller Katz Craig LLP
 - b. Insurance coverage counsel and litigation (C-2021-0009):
 - i. Malapero, Prisco, Klauber & Licata, LLP.
 - ii. DeCotiis, Fitzpatrick, Cole & Giblin, LLP
 - iii. Cleary, Giacobbe, Alfieri, Jacobs, LLC
 - c. School board insurance group counsel (L-2021-0001):
 - i. Archer & Greiner, P.C.
- 2) The Executive Director is hereby authorized to execute professional services agreements with the above-referenced service providers;
- 3) NJSIG is hereby authorized to retain firms designated as Outside Counsel that have executed a professional service agreement as to each respective area;
- 4) This designation is in accordance with the Public School Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-1, et seq.;
- 5) A notice of this action shall be published once in the official newspaper designated by NJSIG, and is on file and available for public inspection at the office of NJSIG.

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I certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution passed by the New Jersey Schools Insurance Group at the meeting duly held on the 15th day of September, 2021.

New Jersey Schools Insurance Group

By: 

Christopher Russo, Chairperson

Board Secretary
Use Only

DATE: *September 15, 2021*

MOVED BY: *Sullivan*

SECONDED BY: *LeFebvre*

VOTE: *Brown, Carrubba, Casey, LeFebvre, Meloche, Russo, Robinson Sullivan*